IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF LYCOMING COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

CHERYL KLINE, : NO. 02-21,043

Plaintiff

:

VS.

:

GEORGE E. KLINE.

Defendant :

OPINION IN SUPPORT OF ORDER OF JUNE 10, 2003 IN COMPLIANCE WITH RULE 1925(A) OF THE RULES OF APPELLATE PROCEDURE

Defendant has appealed this Court's Order of June 10, 2003, entered in response to exceptions filed by both parties to a Family Court Order in which Defendant was directed to pay spousal support to Plaintiff. In his Statement of Matters Complained of on Appeal, Defendant takes issue with the Court's earlier determination that Plaintiff was entitled to spousal support. After a review of both the original Opinion and Order, dated January 10, 2003, and the Opinion and Order entered in response to a request for reconsideration, dated April 15, 2003, the Court chooses to rely on said opinions for purposes of the instant appeal.

Dated: July 31, 2003

By The Court,

Dudley N. Anderson, Judge

cc: Christina Dinges, Esq. Richard Callahan, Esq. Gary L. Weber, Esq.

The original Family Court Order denied Plaintiff's request for spousal support, based on a determination by the hearing officer that Plaintiff was not entitled to such. Exceptions taken by Plaintiff to that Order were granted, the Court concluding that Plaintiff was indeed entitled to spousal support, and the matter was remanded for a determination of the appropriate amount of support. After an award was entered by the hearing officer, further exceptions were filed, resulting in the Order to which the instant appeal has been taken.